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Vaisseau) and 135 men killed; 102 wounded, amongst whom are all her officers, except three. The Amethyst has lost 19 killed, and 51 wounded, amongst the former is Lieut. Bernard Kindall, a most promising young officer, of the Royal Marines, who suffered greatly; and that invaluable officer, Lieut. S. J. Payne, dangerously wounded; the mizen mast shot away, and the ship much damaged and leaky. No language can convey an adequate idea of the cool and determined bravery shown by every officer and man of this ship; and their truly noble behaviour has laid me under the greatest obligation.

The assistance I received from my gallant friend, the First Lieutenant, Mr. Goddard Blennerhasset, an Officer of great merit and ability, is beyond all encomium. Lieutenants Hill and Crouch, and Mr Fair, the Master (whose admirable exertions, particularly at the close of the action, when the enemy was on fire, the boarders employed, and the ship had suddenly made two feet water, surmounted all difficulties) and are happily preserved to add lustre to his Majesty's service. In justice to Monsieur Dede, the surviving Commander of La Thetis, I must observe, he acted with singular firmness, and was the only Frenchman on the quarter-deck, when we boarded her.—I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) MICHAEL SEYMOUR."

Amiral Lord Gambier, &c.

N. B. Dimensions of La Thetis—length, 162 feet; breadth, 41 feet, 6 inches; 28 eighteen-pounders (twenty-four pounds

English) on the main deck; 12 thirty-six-pounders (forty-two pounds English) on the quarter-deck; 4 eight-pounders on the fore-castle. One thousand barrels of flour on board, beside known stores.

This Gazette contains a copy of the dispatches received by Lord Castlereagh, from Lieut. General Beckwith, commanding at Barbadoes, and inclosing the letter of Lieut.-Colonel Blackwell, of the 4th W. I. regiment, detailing the operations of the force under the command of the latter, at Mariegalante, in repelling the attack of a detachment of French troops, under Colonel Gabriels, from Guadalupe. The whole of these details have been anticipated by the Barbadoes papers of the 14th September, with the exception, that the detachment, in this official account is stated to have returned to Barbadoes.

Return of prisoners of war who surrendered—4 Captains, 8 Lieutenants, 162 rank and file, and 1 Staff.

N. B. One Lieutenant, and 1 rank and file of Artillery included.

List of Officers, and names of prisoners—Captain Bagnie, Commandant; Captain Olivier, etat Major; Captains Cazy and Huart; Lieut. Monte, of the Artillery; Lieutenants Leal, Payem, Artcaul, Despreaux, Frachard, Alegre, and Lorcis.

Return of arms, ammunition, and accoutrements taken and destroyed—One field-piece, 450 firelocks, 200 belts and pouches, and 24 kegs of ball cartridges. Ammunition for field-piece not ascertained.

PROVINCIAL OCCURRENCES.

ULSTER.

The following notice which has been circulated through the county of Cavan well deserves to be known and recommended.

Lord Frankfort will give a boom, value 5*l.* 10*s.* to each of the first five tenants on his estate in the county of Cavan, who shall properly cultivate five acres of hemp; and in the same proportion to the next six who shall cultivate a quantity of land, not less than two acres each; this to be over and above all public encouragement for the year 1809. His Lordship also engages to take on himself any loss or failure which may be occasioned by the attempt.—Further particulars may be had

by application to J. Tatlow, esq. Agent to Lord Frankfort.

On the 4th of this month a very fine vessel belonging to Mr. Langtry, was launched from Mr. Ritchie's Dock, and went off the stocks in capital style. She was named the "DUNELLY," in compliment to the Marquis, who has so justly acquired the respect and esteem of all ranks, as, "the best of Landlords." The vessel is intended for the London Trade. Its elegant structure does infinite credit to the taste of the Ship-builder. The day being fine, a great concourse of people attended to witness the gratifying scene.

Early on Sunday morning, the 6th ult. a cotton-mill near Stoneyford, ten miles

from Belfast, was discovered to be on fire. The flames had obtained such an ascendancy before they were perceived, that every exertion to extinguish them proved ineffectual, and the whole factory, containing much valuable property, was completely destroyed. The cause of the conflagration is not known, and we are sorry to learn there was no insurance.

ANTRIM.....Married.....In Belfast, Mr. Wm. McQuickan, to Miss J. Knox. Mr. S. Barret of Dublin, to Miss Hamilton, daughter of H. Hamilton, esq. of this town. Mr. C. Lenon, of Manone, to Miss Sibbalds, of Ballymacarret. Mr. Wm. Wilson, to Miss Martha Walker. Mr. John Donnelly, merchant of Belfast, to Miss Moore of Crookedstone. Mr. John Laird, of Carrickfergus, to Miss Agnes Hill, of Island Magee. In Belfast, Mr. R. English, to Miss Eliza Mahea. Rev. Wm. Brown, to Miss Auchincleek. Mr. J. S. Given, of Coleraine, to Miss Mary Jackson, of Grieve, Co. Monaghan. Mr. H. Allen, to Miss Stewart, both of Belfast.

Died.....In Belfast, Mrs. Goyer, wife of Mr. Goyer, master of the English School in the Belfast Academy. Mr. Wm. Bryson, of Donegall-street. At Portpatrick, on his way to Ireland, Val. Joyce, esq.

ARMAGH.....Married.....Mr. T. Corbett, of Turner's Grove, to Miss Andrews of Annesborough, Co. Down. Mr. Alexander McCulloch Merchant, to Miss Jane Hamilton, daughter of David Hamilton of Pine-grove, esq.

DOWN.....Married.....Mr. Wm. Rea of Edenderry, aged 73, to Miss Lucinda Lee, of Drumshee, aged 21. The circumstances attending this marriage are somewhat singular, as he lived to this period without ever thinking of entering into such a situation, though possessed of an immense property; but thinking his friends might have disputes, in consequence thereof he married this young woman who had been his housekeeper. At Newry, Mr. R. Hamerton, to Mrs. Mounton, both of the Belfast theatre. Patrick Boyle, esq. of Newry, to Miss Geoghegan, of Ardee. At Cultra, David Verner, of Churchill, Co. Armagh, esq. to Miss Cole. At Downpatrick, Gilbert O'Grady, of the Co. Limerick Militia to Miss Vernon.

Died.....At Rathfriland, Mrs. Denham, aged 74.

DONEGALL.....Died....At Ballyshanon R. Allingham, esq. His death was caused by bathing in the morning after enjoying himself with some friends the preceding night.

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Mrs. Carey, wife of Lucius Carey, of Redcastle, esq.

FERMANAGH.....Married.....Benjamin Armstrong, esq. of the Fermanagh Militia, to Miss Mary Faucett, daughter of Dr. Faucett, co. Sligo.

LONDONDERRY.....Married.....Mr. S. Walker to Miss Walker.

Died....A. Grayson esq. aged 81. At Castledawson aged 106, Mrs. M. Richardson. She was attended to the grave by her children, grand children, and great grand children.

MONAGHAN.....Died....Mr. James Mollan, merchant.

LEINSTER.

The following letter has been sent from Dr. O'Reilly, the titular bishop of Armagh, to the Roman Catholic gentlemen of the county of Louth, who had written to him, requesting to know his opinion of the Resolution lately entered into by the Roman Catholic Bishops in Dublin.

"I think, and am certain, that in forming their Resolution the Prelates did not mean to decide, that the admission of a *veto* or *negative* on the part of the Crown, with the consent of the Holy See, in the election of Roman Catholic Bishops, would be contrary to the doctrine of the Roman Catholic Church, or to any practice or usage *essentially* and *indispensably* connected with the Roman Catholic Religion. Candour, however, and truth oblige me to say, that the declaration made by the Bishops on the above-mentioned occasion, was dictated by what I long conceived to be a well-founded apprehension, that the concession in question might eventually be attended with consequences dangerous to the Roman Catholic Religion; such danger, in my mind, and in the opinion of several other prelates, is of a temporary nature, resulting from existing circumstances, though many persons suppose it to arise from the nature of the measure, thus giving to the Resolution of the Bishops a meaning it does not bear."

DROGHEDA, Nov. 1. Yesterday the last fair for this year was held. The different markets were crowded beyond any thing we have seen for some years. The number of black cattle was very great; fat bullocks and cows were considered reasonable; those of an inferior quality, low and few purchasers; on the whole it is supposed they were full ten per cent lower than last year. There was also a very great show of sheep: weathers fit for immediate use, sold from 40s. to 45s. 6d.; those in very high condition, 50s. but few at the latter price. The grazier de-

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clares that the butcher only has the profit. This is tolerably evident from the state of our market. Beef by the quarter, 14. 17s. 4d. to 21. 6s. 8d. per cwt.; prime pieces, 6½d. per pound. Several hundred pigs were at market. Some few years back there appeared a great improvement in the breed of those animals, but we are sorry to find they are declining fast. Lord Conyngham, at a great expense, imported some English and valuable Chinese boars, for the improvement of the breed in the counties of Meath and Louth, and for some time his Lordship's laudable and patriotic intentions promised the desired effect.

There was a great transfer of property in this market, and the prices were unusually high. This is accounted for from the fortunate produce of the potatoe crops this year; they are remarkably abundant and fine. Of horses we can say little; but very few good ones made their appearance and for those there appeared scarcely a buyer. There were a number of inferior hacks and work-horses, and no purchasers. The jockies said they never had so bad a fair. Wool sold from 16s. 6d. to 19s. 6d. Some very fine brought 11. 2s. 9d. per stone.

It is creditable to this part of Ireland, that we never had to record any serious quarrel taking place on our fair-days, notwithstanding the multitudes that resort to this town from six or seven counties.

CARLOW...*Died*...E. Eustace, of Castlemore, esq.

DUBLIN....*Married*....Mr. Brush, Jun. to Miss Pa-ley, daughter of the late S. H. Pasley, esq. of Dollymount. Mr. S. Walker, of Bishop-street, to Miss Walker, of William-street. Brigadier Gen. Campbell, to Miss Elizabeth Anne Pemberton, daughter to the Rev. T. Pemberton of Tough Byrne. Mr. Wm. Gasken, of College-green to Mrs. Martha Waters. Mr. Smith Jun. Nassau-street, to Miss E. McKew. Mr. P. Flynn, to Miss J. Daly.

DREN. In Capel-street, Mrs. Anne Fitzsimons, wife of Mr. H. Fitzsimons,

hosier. Lieutenant B. Hoare, City Dublin Militia. Benjamin Hayes, esq. Barrister at law. In South Gt. Georges-street, Doctor Butler. Mrs. E. Keller, of Beresford-street. Alderman J. Vance, of Capel-street, In Marlborough-street, Mr. P. Downey. In Stephens-green, Mrs. Mary Cooke, relict of ... Cooke of Waterford esq. In Temple-street, A. Adams esq. In Mount-joy Square, Mr. P. S. Kennedy, Attorney. In Stephen's-green, Mrs. Homan, Relict of the Rev. P. Homan, of Rathfarnham. Rev. D. Blundell, Dean of Kildare and for many years rector of the parish of St. Mary.

KILKENNY....*Died*....Mrs. Blackney, wife of Walter Blackney of Ballycorrick, Co. Carlow, esq.

KING'S CO....*Married*....A. Martin, M. D. to Miss Henrietta Adamson.

Died....At Parsonstown Mr. T. Smith, QUEEN'S CO....*Died*....At Cuffesborough, Miss Catherine Prior, daughter of Capt. Prior of Rathdowney.

LONGFORD....*Died*....At Mount Jessop, the Lady of the Rev. Dr. Jessop.

LOUTH....*Married*....John Fairtlough, esq. to Miss Lister of Dublin.

Died....At Drogheda, Mr. Dennis Reid, Mr. Pentony.

MEATH....*Married*....Capt John Owens, to Miss Mary Heeny, of Mornington. Co. Meath. Wm. Blayney Wade, of Cloneybraney, esq. to Miss Frances Carden, daughter of Sir John Craven Carden of Templemore, Co. Tipperary, Bart.

MUNSTER.

KERRY...*Married*, Captain Walker, of the 42d Foot, to Miss Penelope Leslie Johnston, daughter of the late Adam B. Johnston, esq. At Killarney, Pat. Stokes of Cork, esq. to Miss M'Donough daughter to J. M'Donough, esq.

CLARE....*Died*, at Lahcen, Miss Mary Ann O'Brien, eldest daughter to J. O'Brien, of Limerick, esq.

CORK....*Married*, Rev C. L. Coghlan, of Glanure, to Miss Cummins, daughter of Nicholas Cummins, esq. Captain Du Bois, to Miss Irwine.

MONTHLY AGRICULTURAL REPORT.

From October 20, till November 20.

The fine dry weather which has continued for several weeks past, has been favourable for taking out the remainder of the Potatoe crops, which, with the high price of wheat has induced the sowing of that grain to an extent much beyond any thing practised in this Province for many years, and gives reason to hope that we shall be able in the ensuing season to export to England such a quantity as will prevent the inconvenience arising from the want of their usual supply from the Continent. Indeed if the lands of Ireland were cultivated in the manner they are capa-